COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH COUNTYWIDE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY

Psychiatric Social Worker I* or II/ Mental Health Clinician I* or II-CRM Laura's Law - AOT Liaison

Countywide Resource Management is recruiting a PSW or MHC to provide contract monitoring and linkage to appropriate levels of care for individuals referred by the Emergency Outreach Bureau (EOB) Assisted Outpatient Treatment Outreach Team under the Laura's Law (LL) - Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) program. The PSW/MHC will provide contract monitoring of 300 adult Full Service Partnership slots and 60 Enriched Residential Services (ERS) beds. In addition, these positions will provide linkage to appropriate mental health services for those discharging to lower levels of care upon successful completion of the program to ensure continuity of care. This position will monitor dedicated FSP and ERS services to ensure quality of care and address clinical issues on a case by case basis with DMH AOT program providers. *Note that this position will require traveling countywide.* Some of the job duties will include:

- Provide clinical consultation to contracted treatment staff at LL AOT FSP and ERS program staff and linkage to appropriate services and supports upon successful completion of the program.
- Identify system barriers to successful reintegration of LL AOT clients into communities and work with FSP and ERS programs to resolve barriers with identified agencies and providers.
- Provide contract monitoring and act as the liaison between the Department and LL AOT ERS
 facilities to ensure quality of care for Los Angeles County clients.
- Participate in treatment planning meetings in to facilitate awareness of quality of care standards and making recommendations to providers for changes in treatment when appropriate.
- Conduct clinical evaluation for requests and referrals for higher levels of care.
- Assist with tracking outcomes for post-enrollment phase of treatment.
- Assist the department supervisor with administrative tasks when necessary. This includes communicating regularly with the Program Head, AOT Coordinator, and communicating information to the LL AOT FSP and ERS providers, attending various County Mental Health meetings, and providing consultation to staff.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- *If PSW I or MHC I, license eligible with hours completed.
- Clinical experience in working with clients having multiple diagnoses, including severe and persistent mental illness, substance abuse, homelessness, and/or incarceration.
- Skill in tracking, multi-tasking, and prioritizing under pressure.
- Experience with psychiatric inpatient hospital discharge planning preferred.
- Organize and proficient in Microsoft Word and Excel preferred.
- Knowledge and experience in providing services to clients with forensic histories preferred.

Interested individuals holding payroll title to the above position are encouraged to FAX their resume, last two (2) Performance Evaluations and last two (2) years of master time records to:

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